## OPENING GUNS OF THE CAMPAIGN

Mann and Willard Speak to Good Crowd at-Amelia.

## THEIR VIEWS MUCH ALIKE

The Saloons Have No Friends But Prohibition Is Not Popular.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

AMELIA, VA., March 24.—The opening guns of the campaign were fired by Willard here vesterday, both candidates Walter A. Watson convened the Circuit Court for the term, but soon gave way for the discussion, which was listened to by a large crowd.

Judge Mann opened on almost ad libitum time, modestly expressed doubt as to tum time, modesily expressed doubt as to his ability and fluness for so high an office, since it often happened that the ship of State was called to pass through strong waters, when a steady hand and a big brain was needed to take her safely through such smergencies. Said he was in favor of good roads. To this end favored the employment of convict labor, which was more efficient than other labor, because the power of compulsion over them could make them work. He denounced a contract made by the State with the Davis Shoe Company for convict labor on the basis of 43 cents each per day for men and 30 cents per day for women, as iniquitous, and one that he would see annulled at the earliest possible woment. possible moment.
INCREASED REVENUE.

Figure 1. The control of the streets of the streets

Scalp Humor Cured by Cuticura Soap and Ointment

### AFTER ALL ELSE FAILED

"I was troubled with a severe scalp humor and loss of hair that gave me a great deal of annoyance and inconvenience. After unsuccessful efforts with many remedies and so-called hair tonics, a friend induced me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The humor was cured in a short time, my hair was restored as healthy as ever, and I can gladly say I have since been entirely free from any further annoyance. I shall always use Cuticura Soap, and I keep the Ointment on hand to use as a dressing for the hair and scalp. (signed) Fred'k Busche, 213 Rast 57th St., New York City."

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The Lieutenant-Governor closed amid lib-oral applause.

PUBLIC OPINION,

After the speaking was over your cor-respondent visited the many groups of people discussing the speeches and en-deavored to get a consensus and digest of sentiment. Wonderfully homogenous were the people, that so far as utterance went, there was the difference of twidedee and twidedum between the two candidates. In the main they were at twidledee and twidledim between the two candidates. In the main they were at one, only diverging here and there in liems of detail, and that, so far, it was a choice only between the personalities. Mann and Willard, Only this and nothing more, No issue. Yet it was evident in those discussions that there was a fellwant. The liquor questions is the issue in this canvass, and like Banco's ghost, will not down. The issue is: Shall the Mann bill stand as law, and be amended and strengthened as demanded by the Anti-Baloon League, with Judge Mann as chalirman of resolutions or shall it be amended with a view to a fair expression of the wishes of the people, and, retaining anti-saloon feature, provide for one or more places in every county where one or more places in every county where

in case of sickness or need, liquor can be had in sealed packages.

It was clear to the mind of your cor-respondent that the "saloon" as such, pure and simple had few advocates, It was equally clear that the Mann bill which is practical prohibition in the rural districts is equally objectionable.

### UNITED BRETHREN

### Take Stringent Action as to Marrying Divorced Persons.

Marrying Divorced Persons.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HARRISONBURG, VA., March 24.—The
Virginia United Brethren Conference took
stringent action to-day forbidding any
minister to officiate in any marriage where
either party has been divorced on any
other than Scriptural grounds.

President Roop, of Lebanon Valley College, read his annual report, showing
hopeful future in every way. This institution lost its main building by fire
Christmas Eve and to which Carnegle his
since given fifty thousand dollars.

Shenandoah Institute has an attendance
of 172 students, and has just secured a

# RESTORED HIS HAIR BOY FORCIBLY VETERAN'S OF CLASH OF ARMS

A Runaway Couple From Cape Committee to Arrange for Un- Policeman Uses His Billy on Charles Mar-

Lambert's Point-The Ocean Race.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., March 24.—Kirkland
J. Lambert, ten years old, was carried
by force from the Court of Law and
Chancery, talking and squealing by his
guardian, Henry C. Godfrey to-day. Ho
is an orphan and bis guardian has had
possession of his property and person for possession of his property and person for three years. Recently he was taken from a fospital, where he had been left by his guardian for an operation, by Charles Lambert, an uncle. Lambert and the boy refused to recognize the authority of the guardian, and Mr. Godfrey entered the suit for the possession, which he won, Carl Milligan and wife, a runaway couple, and C. C. Hine left here to-night couple, and C. C. Hine left here to-night for their home in Cape Charles. They have just returned from Elizabeth, N. C., where Miss Ethel Hine, a pretty girl of eighteen, went in the care of her brother, in defiance of the wishes of their parents and returned as a bride. Milligan is nine-tien years of age, and the assistant post-master at Cape Charles.

POLICEN NEWS

master at Cape Charles.

POLICE NEWS.

Police Commissioner W. H. Sterling declares that he will support Chief of Police Boush in his attempt to introduce some military discipline into the police department. Mayor laddlek and his control of the co friends have assumed the position of supporting Sergeant Freeman in his refusal to drill with the men at the head-quarters, for which he has been suspended for thirty days. The City Councils would not appoint the chief and the commissioners recommended by Mayor Riddick, and he has lost political of the selection of the time when his personal at the high time the time when his personal at the time when his personal at the time at the head-quarters. friends have assumed the position of police control at the time when his per-sonal friends are candidates for office.

Hence the dissension.
Senator Thomas S. Martin is here to-day conferring with his political friends, and arranging for his campaign for re-

It is announced positively that the Berwind-White Coal Company, of New York and Philadelphia, will establish coal

veiling at Appomattox.

Big Coal Piers to Compete With Small Boys Are Fined for Programme to be Carried Out. Carrying Big Revolvers.

> (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) PETERSBURG, VA., March 24.-Colonel London, of Pittsboro, N. C.; Colonel Jondon, of Pitisboro, N. C.; Colonel J. II. Holt, of Smithfield, and Mr. W. H. Cooper, of Raleigh, members of a commission to arrange for the unveiling of the North Carolina monument at Apporantox, stopped over in Petersburg on their way last night, and invited A. P. Hill Camp to attend the unveiling on the 10th of April.
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> A number of officers and members of the camp met the distinguished North Carolina veterans, but the camp will not be able to accept the invitation.
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> CHILD BURNED.
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> Warren Avery, the young child of Mary Avery, colored, was fatally burned this morning at its mother's home on Perry Street. The child and a small companion were left alone in the house, and played in the fire.
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> Congressman Washington Gardner, from the Third Michigan District, stopped over in Petersburg to-day on his return from Florida, and visited the battlefields with General Stith Bolling, Mr. C. A. Clark acting as guide.
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> Mr. W. H. Talley has been appointed special agent of the United States Department of Commerce and Labor to obtain the statistics of the manufacturing industries of Petersburg and Dinwiddlecounty.
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> Wille Anderson and Randolph, two onel E. H. Holt, of Smithfield, and Mr.

Postal Telegraph boys from Norfolk, were sent to jall to-day in default of paying a fine of twenty dollars aplece in the Mayor's Court this morning for car-

paying a fine of twenty dollars apieca in the Mayor's Court this morning for carrying concealed weapons. A big pistol was found on each of the boys.

HUNGARIAN FIGHT.

Frpd Kemna and Archie Rott, two Bohemian residents of Prince George county, had a hot fight in a Hallfax Street has this afternoon, each warrior decorating the other for bravery. Lieutenant Donahue and Officers Heelan and Coller settled the matter, and the fighters will appear before the Mayor.

Calvin Parham, a negro, arrested here several days ago, was taken to Dendron yesterday to stand trial for shooting Tom Turner in a gambling quarrel. Turner was wounded in the leg.

Mestrs. Perkinson and Finn have purchased the Battersen farm, in the western part of this city. The price has not been given out.

# TAKEN BY LAW NORTH CAROLINA IN RALEIGH, N.C.

the Head of a Man After a Dispute.

### SENATOR MARTIN IN THE CITY CHILD BURNED TO DEATH THE APPOMATTOX MONUMENT

Governor Glenn Is After the Sheriffs.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) RALEIGH, N. C., March 24.—The first "clash of arms" in the impending campaign for the city election in May took place last night on the street near the City Hall, a member of the city police force, Officer Leeson, being a combatant, In talking to Nicholas DuBoy, a well known citizen, he charged that a certain candidate for alderman, was in the field purely in the hope of defeating him (Leeson) for policeman. The "lie" was passed, and Officer Leeson struck DuBoy across the head with his "billy." The two men clinched, and there was a lively scrimmage before friends separated them. DuBoy got hold of the policeman's "billy" and the officer threatened to draw his revolver and kill him. There is to be an investigation by the Police Commis-

APPOMATTOX MONUMENT.

It is announced that the principal feature of the programme for the unveiling ceremonies for the monument to North Carolina troops on the Appomattox battleground April 10th, will be prayer by the chaplain, Rev. James A. Weston; remarks by Major H. A. London, chairman of the North Carolina Appomatox Commission; address of welcome by Governer Montague, of Virging: the address of welcome to the control of the control o Commission; address of welcome by Governor Montague, of Virginia; the address of the day by Governor Glenn, of North Carolina, and brief addresses by General W. R. Cox. of Edgecombe, and General W. P. Roberts, of Gates county, both of whom took a prominent part in the last fighting on this battlefield.

The Secretary of State has chartered the Bank of Tryon, of Tryon, N. C., with \$10,000 capital; J. B. Hester and B. L. Ballinger, principal incorporators.

Another charter is to the Porter Distilling Company, of Rockingham, Richmond county; J. A. Porter, A. F. Dockery and

county: J. A. Porter, A. F. Dockery and J. F. Brady, incorporators. The capital is \$25,000. Richmond is a prohibition counis 25.00. Richmond is a point of the Secre-tary of State that they will have their office in Rockingham and operate their distillery at some Virginia point.

AFTER THE SHERIFFS. unless the applications are endorsed

by the solicitor of the district in which the criminal is wanted. He declares in an open letter just issued that it is getting too common for sherlfs and their deputies to take things quietly and ask that rewards be offered, when by diligent search and inquiry this cost to the State might be avoided.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner left this afternoon for Catawba county to deliver three addresses on local taxation at Startown, Newton and Monbo.

Application was made to the Governor to-day for the pardon of John Stevenson, in Guilford county, who is serving a term for retailing liquor without license. The pardon was refused, the Governor declaring that he would be especially slow to pardon any one convicted of this crime, as much of the crime that is committed can be traced to "blind tiger" liquor.

WATER WORKS TRANSFER. E. B. Baln, superintendent of the Wake Water Company, went to Fayetteville to-day, as special master, appointed by the Federal court to inventory and value the property of the Fayetteville Water Comproperty of the Fayetteville Water Company and ascertain the profits by the plant since the purchase price was tendered the company August 3, 1903, for the purchase of the plant. This is one of the preliminary steps toward the transfer of the water works from the company to the city as a result of the suit which the city won in the United States Court.

A petition in involuntary bankruptcy has been filed in the United States District Court here against Smith Paul, a saloonkeeper in Washington, N. C., the saloonkeeper in Washington, N. liabilities being \$15,000 and the a 000. Paul has acknowledged judgment fo \$2,000 in favor of his two cierks.

## CHIEF RESIGNS.

## One Negro Shoots Another, Who Dies Instantly.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GREDNSBORO, N. C., March 24.—
Greensboro's chief of police, W. A. Scott, resigned to-night to become assistant State insurance commissioner, devoting himself to fire inspecting department. He has been on the police force fifteen years and chief eight years. He had a State reputation as an able office and reputation as an able office and shrewd letective.

detective.

Dock Covington, colored, was shot at a negro joint here at 1 o'clook this morning, dying an hour later. An investigation by the coroner this evening showed that "Ball Weevil" Pinnix, a negro hotel waiter, did the shooting. He made his

## **Household Cleaning**

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Pine Street Fharmacy, 234 South
Fine Street.
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No Article Sold at Full Price.

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Northern Pacific Railroad prior lien and land grant bonds. 10,000 00 80,000 00 100,000 00

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United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company's
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